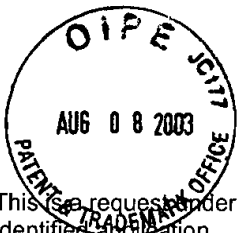


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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
402E-918102US

In re Application of Chen, Mary, et al.

Application Number: 09/661,161

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For IMPROVING POLYPEPTIDE PRODUCTION IN ANIMAL CELL CULTURE

Group Art Unit 1651

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 410
- ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ 930
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1450
- ☒ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$1970
- ☐ Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

☐ is enclosed.

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☐ has already been filed in this application.

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- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0893. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.☐ applicant.☒ attorney or agent of record.☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a)

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